
FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

OF

THE TRUSTEES

OF

THE STATE FARM

AT BRIDGEWATER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1894.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

To His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Council.

The trustees of the State Almshouse and State Farm, in compliance with the requirements under section 3, chapter 88 of the Public Statutes, herewith present their forty-first annual report, which, with the reports of the superintendent and resident physician, herein submitted, shows the condition of the State Farm at Bridgewater for the financial year ending Sept. 30, 1894.

Under the provisions of chapter 34 of the Acts of 1894 the sum of \$91,800 was appropriated for the payment of salaries, wages and labor and for other current expenses at said institution for the present calendar year. For a detailed statement of the expenditure of the same see report of the superintendent, hereto annexed, which has been examined and verified by the trustees.

Under chapter 66 of the Resolves of the year 1894 appropriations were made for the following purposes, viz.: for consolidating the heating stations of the asylum, almshouse and hospital departments in a central plant, including boiler room for the new criminal insane wing; for heating, lighting, plumbing and furnishing the new criminal insane wing, including attendants' quarters; also for an addition to the workhouse department, to contain not less than fifty rooms, including heating, lighting and furnishing the same; all of which are nearly completed and will soon be ready for use and occupancy.

The inmates of the institution who are able to perform labor have been employed in seating chairs and working on the farm, as in former years.

The farm is in a good state of cultivation, and the products of the same have generally been satisfactory.

The acreage has been somewhat increased during the past year, a portion of which has been reclaimed and cultivated so that good results have been obtained.

In the report of the superintendent to the trustees, hereto annexed, will be found a detailed statement of the number of inmates admitted and discharged during the year; the number remaining in the institution; the average expense each week per inmate; the nativity of those admitted; the courts from which prisoners were sentenced, with their terms of sentence and crimes committed; the amount received from labor of inmates, and from other sources, and the disposition of the same; the products of the farm; the list of officers and employees, with other important information and statistics; which statement, carefully and accurately prepared, gives in detail full information as to the condition and management of the institution and the disposition of the money appropriated and expended for its maintenance.

After careful examination of the subject by the trustees, as well as for reasons presented by the superintendent in his report, it is deemed important and necessary that legislative authority be given for the entire separation of the management of the insane from the other departments of the institution. Several other important improvements and additions have been suggested by the superintendent in his report, which have received the approval of the trustees, and a sufficient appropriation is recommended to carry the same into effect.

The report of the resident physician, Dr. Charles A. Blake, herewith submitted, contains information, statistical and otherwise, in relation to the hospital and asylum departments, showing the number and variety of diseases treated, the number of deaths, the number received from each hospital, the nativity and occupation of insane patients, and other important facts in relation to said departments.

The annual inventory, as required under section 7, chapter 79 of the Public Statutes, has been taken, and an appraisal

made of the real and personal property connected with the institution and belonging to the Commonwealth by Messrs. David G. Pratt and George E. Doane of Middleborough, whose report is hereto annexed.

The excellent condition of the institution and the success which has attended the administration of affairs in all departments at the State Farm for several years past, and which continues at the present time, is the direct result of the wise, faithful and efficient management of H. M. Blackstone, the present superintendent, aided by a faithful and competent corps of officers and attendants.

We cannot close this report without briefly alluding to the great loss the Board of Trustees has sustained in the death of Mr. Weaver Osborn of Fall River, which occurred after a short illness in February of the present year. He served as trustee for many years, and his excellent judgment and careful consideration of all public matters intrusted to him made him a most valued member of the Board, and entitled him to the highest respect and fullest confidence of his associates.

Respectfully submitted,

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BRIDGEWATER, Oct. 31, 1894.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of the State Farm.

I herewith hand you the following as my report for the year ending this date.

The present offers no exception in the unvarying record of increase. The average number in the institution has been 947, an increase of 161 over the average for the preceding year, a net gain of 20 per cent. Probably all institutions caring for the delinquent and pauper classes for the past year have discovered that calculations, estimates and even theories have been entirely upset by their extraordinary increase of inmates. Although in a different form, the general business depression has made itself familiar in institutions, as elsewhere. To undertake any analysis of present conditions, and say how much of the past year's growth is due to increasing vice or how much is really abnormal because of "hard times," is a question I am unable even to guess at with any feeling of confidence.

We find the increase occurs mainly in the sentenced or court cases, showing an excess of 354 commitments over the preceding year. However much of this may be charged to business depression, the obvious fact remains that drunkenness leads in the causes by more than 2 to 1, claiming 255 of this excess. Many touching and painful experiences have been related to me about the dreadfully dull times, utter inability to find any employment or earn a penny; and yet, incongruous as it may seem, non-employment and hard times appear to have greatly augmented the ways and means for dissipation. The shaky and shattered condition of some of these unfortunates plainly suggests their beverage was raw, extremely so, and perhaps free.

The increase of commitments for vagrancy and tramping has been considerable, but proportionately far behind those

for drunkenness. Industrial conditions would seem to have suggested the greatest increase from these causes. That they have not been greater is, I presume, due to a sort of "letting-up" policy by the city and town authorities. There are many familiar faces among them, and when lawfully delivered to our custody appear to have completed a voluntary and agreeable contract. I note less complaint about being "sent up" for the mere asking a night's lodging when on the way east or west looking for work.

Institution officials are, I am aware, rather expected to deduce from their observation and experience prophecies and opinions, as contributions in their branch of the great sociological problem, project new theories, suggest new propositions, expound new doctrines and gospels for the prevention and cure of the causes which so alarmingly increase the defective classes from year to year, and, had I ability equal to the demand, I should account it a pleasure as well as duty to contribute something in the discussions of the great question; but for the present, or until we have returned to a more normal condition, I conceive it to be a more pressing duty to address ourselves to the task now upon us, and get over the exceptional hard-times period the best we can. Unless indications are all wrong, the coming winter will find every public charitable institution literally packed. It promises to be a season of which we can forecast little save crowded conditions, and it is useless to go into extended and elaborate detailed discussion of improved methods, and propose new industry or occupation, but rather accept the situation in the light of the present, and satisfy as best we can the unusual demands certain to be made. It will be impossible to accommodate another 20 per cent. increase of sentenced inmates, for the additions made this year were not of the expanding kind. The cell or single-room building contains but fifty-two rooms, and of course can take but a like number of men, unless we resort to the undesirable practice of putting two men in each room.

In the almshouse department there has been but little change, admissions and discharges varying but little from last year. Nearly all the applications which we may call local, those from south-eastern Massachusetts, including the cities of Brockton, Taunton, Fall River and New Bedford, surrounding towns and

the Cape, are sick and infirm, requiring hospital treatment. The great majority of the total admissions are now from applications made in Boston during the winter, and remain only till the dawn of spring, when they are released by the State Board or elope when opportunity offers. Among these applicants are many truly worthy cases requiring hospital care; some professional "rounders," whose only occupation is that of sampling institutions; and the balance, a full majority of all, made up of able-bodied young and middle-aged men, more or less broken up by debauch and neglect, who come in to tide over till spring.

It has been the custom formerly to transfer annually from the State Almshouse at Tewksbury to this department large delegations of a class of practically incurables, men infirm by age or disease, and cripples. Since the completion of the new hospitals at Tewksbury a year or two ago the practice has nearly ceased, and the result is directly reflected in the reduced death rate of our hospitals, which it is a pleasure to record is but 57 this year, against 110 the preceding. Although these particular transfers were almost wholly made up of hopelessly incurable patients, and known in inmate parlance as "cemetery annex," I would not be understood as claiming the whole reduction on this account. The severe grippe seasons of 1890, '91 and '92 had much to do with the large death rate of last year indirectly, as complicating other diseases. But for the absence of these transfers we should be obliged to occupy permanently one or more dormitories for the hospital. For the past two winters we have been obliged to establish an overflow hospital in one of the dormitories, and at this writing the hospital wards are comfortably full without the presence of epidemic or extraordinary sickness. When we take the percentage, I find but little more than 5 per cent. of the gross number, about 45, under treatment. When the ailments incident to cold and rough weather come on we shall positively need additional hospital room; I therefore recommend provision for a new ward.

The lunatic wards or asylums for the criminal and convict insane now number about 250. This department, organized seven years ago for chronic insane males of the pauper and harmless class, has undergone such changes by additional wards

and statute enactments as to practically make of it an asylum for the convict and criminal insane males of the whole State. The original purpose for which the department was added, that of securing farm labor, has been almost defeated by these changes. The transfers are now wholly of convicts and criminals, and very few of them can be employed safely in farm and garden labor. Inasmuch as its character has so radically changed, having become, in fact, one of the most difficult class of patients to restrain and manage, and requiring expert medical direction, it is a serious question whether it should longer continue as a ward of the State Farm, or be separated by statute law and managed distinctly as an independent department or institution. The criminal court cases, together with the prison cases, now number 155, and require constant professional observation and attention by physicians fully qualified to render expert opinions and give evidence in the courts. I am sure all will agree that these officials should have the fullest authority in their direction and management. The wards now being finished will give this department a capacity of 325 patients. When proportionate infirmary, hospital and epileptic wards are added, the accommodations will approach a total of about 400 patients,—a sufficient number, considering their character, to engage the undivided attention of an able expert medical staff.

The grounds originally plotted and enclosed as airing yards for the insane and holiday recreations for the whole institution have been encroached upon to such an extent by new buildings as to require a new location, which must be walled in at an expense of three to five thousand dollars, according to area taken in.

As a matter of safety, if not for improved illumination, the asylum should be lighted by electricity, also stable and barns.

The farming operations are prosecuted under the same general policy as heretofore, producing only such products as can be consumed in the institution. The extreme drought suffered in this locality has lessened the product visibly. The hay crop yielded but one hundred and sixty-eight tons, and the usual harvest of rowen or second crop was entirely cut off. Roots and truck have been proportionately short, and although the quantity produced will in the aggregate seem large, yet the

amount is short comparatively, considering the acreage worked. With recent purchases the area is now nearly five hundred acres. The labor of reclaiming land is going steadily forward, and I am confident the near future will show profits which will justify the wisdom of the investment. There can be no mistake in development on this line, and there will be little danger of becoming land-poor with labor increasing at the rate of 20 per cent. yearly, — quantity, not price.

Incidentally with this subject of farming comes up the matter of teaming or trucking. The freight and coal carting from the railroad is a great drag and burden on the stock, and affords no extra labor for inmates. For the first time I am able to suggest a spur from the railroad to the institution without the liability of extensive land damage, we having recently acquired most of the tract such a spur would cross. The distance is about one-quarter of a mile, and if found not too expensive I would advocate building it, and an appropriation for the same.

The question of proper disposal of sewage matter must engage our immediate attention, and we may need to ask a small appropriation to begin this improvement. Before our matters will come before the appropriate committees of the Legislature, I hope to have a comprehensive plan of operation matured.

Our new chapel is completed and occupied. It is a beautiful room, easy of access, light, airy, cheerful and comfortable for all who worship in it. Religious services continue as heretofore: Catholic service in the morning by Rev. J. H. O'Neil of the Sacred Heart Church of Middleborough, and a general service in the afternoon by visiting clergymen from the Protestant churches of Bridgewater and Middleborough. The small sum of five dollars which we appropriate for each service can hardly be regarded as a consideration for the sacrifice a pastor makes, when, in addition to his own church duties, he drives eight and ten miles to hold service here. This task so faithfully attended bespeaks true Christian interest in those they come to serve.

A pipe organ, in the hands of one who could give vocal instruction to such of the inmates as were musically inclined, would be an acquisition highly appreciated by both services. No service is complete without music. But for the kindness of neighbors and visitors, we should be without music.

Dr. Charles A. Blake, our resident physician for seven years past, was visited by the severest affliction the last of the summer by the death of his most estimable wife, after a protracted illness under peculiarly trying and distressing conditions and a period of intense anxiety. The shock came to him with such depressing effect that he retired from duty about the time of the sad event, August 23, and resigned his position, to take effect October 1. In his retirement Dr. Blake takes with him the deepest sympathy of all his friends for the great sorrow he sustains for one who had especially endeared herself to all her friends and associates. The vacancy has been filled by the appointment of Dr. Arthur H. Harrington of the Danvers Hospital medical staff, who assumes the duties on this date.

Annexed will be found account of expenditures for both current and special appropriations. The expenditure, gross per capita, has been reduced a little, but the net remains practically the same. What little revenue we receive from chair seating was seriously cut down this year, and I may say that we accounted it good luck to have had work at any price.

In expressing my sincere gratitude for the continued good will, wise direction and sustaining influence of your honorable Board, I should fail in appreciation of such assistance if I did not here record the great loss we have all met in the death of the Hon. Weaver Osborn of Fall River, the senior member of your Board in age, and second only in time of service. By reason of locality he was the most frequent official visitor, seldom failing to subscribe weekly to the book of registry; and, consistent with his life of push and vigor, he came early in the day as well as often. My own services have been constantly in his counsel and advice. He always advocated the right and denounced wrong without fear or favor. The painful absence of his "every-day" sort of salutation to one and all, and the wide-awake business impulse and good cheer always given us in his frequent visits, speak more strongly of our serious loss than any words of mine.

Respectfully yours,

H. M. BLACKSTONE,

Superintendent.

S T A T I S T I C S .

The whole number of inmates remaining Oct. 1, 1893, was as follows : —

Male prisoners,	343
Female prisoners,	11
Male paupers,	178
Female paupers,	3
Chronic insane, males,	222
	————— 757

Number of admissions and commitments from Oct. 1, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1894, inclusive : —

Male prisoners,	829
Female prisoners,	31
Male paupers,	464
Female paupers,	34
Chronic insane, males,	55
	————— 1,413

Number discharged from Oct. 1, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1894, inclusive : —

Male prisoners,	727
Female prisoners,	22
Male paupers,	456
Female paupers,	36
Chronic insane, males,	29
	————— 1,270

Number remaining Oct. 1, 1894 : —

Male prisoners,	445
Female prisoners,	20
Male paupers,	186
Female paupers,	1
Chronic insane, males,	248
	————— 900

Of the number discharged, 57 have been by death :—

Prisoners,	8
Paupers,	38
Insane,	11
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Average number during the year,	947
Largest number during the year,	1,205
Smallest number during the year,	757

The following table shows the admissions each month :—

	PRISONERS.		PAUPERS.		INSANE.	TOTAL.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.
1893.							
October,	89	4	12	5	16	117	9
November,	83	—	28	8	9	120	8
December,	90	1	196	2	1	287	3
1894.							
January,	57	—	96	1	8	161	1
February,	36	—	20	3	—	56	3
March,	55	2	48	3	—	103	5
April,	61	5	5	1	—	66	6
May,	69	1	12	6	—	81	7
June,	81	3	5	2	—	86	5
July,	56	5	11	—	21	88	5
August,	64	5	17	—	—	81	5
September,	88	5	14	3	—	102	8
Total,	829	31	464	34	55	1,348	65

NATIVITY OF INMATES ADMITTED.

Ireland,	475
Massachusetts,	325
England,	127
British Provinces,	100
New York,	81
Connecticut,	32
Scotland,	28
Rhode Island,	25
Maine,	22
Pennsylvania,	19
Vermont,	16
Sweden,	15
New Hampshire and Germany, 14 each,	28
Poland,	11

Azores Islands,	10
New Jersey, Italy and Finland, 8 each,	24
Ohio,	7
Virginia and Russia, 6 each,	12
Cape Verde Islands,	5
Illinois and Maryland, 4 each,	8
Louisiana, California, Kentucky, West Indies, Denmark and Unknown, 3 each,	18
Georgia, Delaware, North Carolina, Turkey and France, 2 each,	10
Indiana, Florida, Wisconsin, Michigan, South Carolina, Utah, Wales, Holland, Austria, Greece, Spain, Portugal, Aus- tralia, India and At Sea, 1 each,	15
	<hr/> 1,413

COURTS FROM WHICH PRISONERS WERE RECEIVED.

Worcester District Court,	345
Attleborough District Court,	58
Lowell Police Court,	57
Brockton Police Court,	54
Taunton District Court,	39
Palmer District Court,	23
Northampton District Court,	22
Abington District Court,	21
Springfield Police Court,	19
Dedham Trial Justice Court,	18
Fall River and Stoughton District and Newton Police Court, 17 each,	51
Framingham District Court,	14
Waltham District Court,	12
Malden District Court,	10
Woburn District Court,	9
North Adams, Southbridge and Quincy District Courts, 8 each,	24
Webster District Court,	7
New Bedford District Court,	6
Middleborough, Hingham and Great Barrington District, New- buryport Police and Medway Trial Justice Courts, 5 each,	25
Plymouth and Northampton Superior and Boston Municipal Courts, 4 each,	12
Adams, Plymouth and Westfield District, Greenfield Trial Justice Courts, and transferred from Mass. Reformatory, 3 each,	15
Worcester and Springfield Superior, Salem District, Lynn Police and Nantucket Trial Justice Courts, 2 each,	10
Ayer and Barnstable District, Chelsea and Chicopee Police, Ipswich and Leominster Trial Justice, Salem Superior Courts, transferred from State Prison and House of Cor- rection, Fitchburg, 1 each,	9

SUMMARY.

District Courts,	652
Police Courts,	156
Trial Justice Courts,	30
Superior Courts,	13
Municipal Courts,	4
Massachusetts Reformatory (transfer),	3
State Prison (transfer),	1
House of Correction (transfer),	1

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CRIMES OF PRISONERS.

Drunkenness,	523
Vagrants,	167
Tramps,	144
Escaping from State Farm,	15
Idle and disorderly,	5
Vagabonds,	2
Night-walker,	1
Murder (State Prison),	1
Larceny (Massachusetts Reformatory),	1
Larceny (House of Correction),	1

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SENTENCES OF PRISONERS.

Six months,	508
One year,	182
Nine months,	48
Eight months,	46
Two years,	14
Four months,	10
Ten months,	6
Two months,	6
One month,	5
Eighteen months,	4
Seven months,	2
Three months,	21
Indeterminate 2 years (Massachusetts Reformatory),	2
Indeterminate 5 years (Massachusetts Reformatory),	1
Fifteen months,	1
Sixteen months,	1
Fourteen months,	1
Five months,	1
Life (State Prison),	1

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Of the number of prisoners admitted, 216 had been admitted previously, as follows : —

Second time,	114
Third time,	43
Fourth time,	23
Fifth time,	13
Sixth time,	8
Seventh time,	2
Eighth time,	4
Ninth time,	2
Tenth time,	5
Thirteenth time,	1
Sixteenth time,	1
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TOWNS, ETC., FROM WHICH PAUPERS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED.

Boston,	310
Fall River,	79
New Bedford,	62
Taunton,	12
Brockton,	9
Prison Department, State Farm,	6
State Almshouse,	4
State Primary School,	4
Bridgewater,	2
Middleborough,	2
Rehoboth,	1
Carver,	1
Freetown,	1
Lakeville,	1
Plymouth,	1
Sandwich,	1
Rochester,	1
Birth,	1
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HOSPITALS, ETC., FROM WHICH INSANE PATIENTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED.

Worcester Lunatic Hospital,	19
Westborough Insane Hospital,	12
Taunton Insane Hospital,	12
Danvers Lunatic Hospital,	3
Worcester Insane Asylum,	1
Prison Department State Farm,	5
Pauper Department State Farm,	3
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The receipts and expenditures have been as follows : —

RECEIPTS.

Oct. 1, 1893, to Jan. 1, 1894,	\$25,008 01
Received from State Treasurer for same period,	25,008 01
Jan. 1, 1894, to Oct. 1, 1894,	67,942 35
Received from State Treasurer for same period,	67,942 35
Appropriation for 1893 was	84,000 00
Amount expended,	86,896 20
Deficiency appropriated (chap. 23, Acts 1894),	2,896 20
Appropriation for 1894 was	91,800 00
Amount thus far expended,	67,942 35
Balance unexpended,	23,857 65

EXPENDITURES FROM OCT. 1, 1893, TO OCT. 1, 1894.

Salaries, officers and employees,	\$23,642 04
Flour,	6,303 25
Crackers and pastry,	164 03
Beef, fresh and corned,	7,517 80
Fish, clams and oysters,	2,097 55
Mutton and lamb,	377 87
Poultry,	299 98
Lard and hams,	117 64
Butter, cheese and eggs,	999 84
Tea and coffee,	2,018 64
Sugar and molasses,	2,311 99
Beans and pease,	687 53
Fruits and vegetables,	249 29
Nuts and candy for holidays,	16 75
Raisins and dried fruits,	144 98
Yeast, soda and baking powders,	281 81
Pepper, salt and mustard,	189 51
Vinegar,	235 11
Rice,	304 86
Meal for tables, including graham and oat,	399 88
Miscellaneous groceries and canned goods,	495 54
Tobacco,	1,830 48
Potatoes,	325 40
Soap, stock and starch,	573 06
Medical supplies, disinfectants, etc.,	800 08
Hospital supplies, instruments, etc.,	135 41
Ready-made clothing,	137 75
Cloth for clothing,	4,396 90
Shirts and drawers,	546 60
Cloth for shirts and drawers,	658 71
Mitts and socks,	729 15
Hats and caps,	151 44

Buttons, thread, needles and notions,	\$311 64
Scarfs, collars, suspenders, etc.,	115 24
Towels, towelling, napkins, etc.,	233 89
Cotton, unbleached,	684 28
Miscellaneous dry goods,	160 59
Blankets, rubber and wool,	754 74
Bedding, hay and straw,	497 28
Beds and bedding,	879 39
Boots, shoes, stock and findings,	1,479 73
Sewing machines and repairs,	128 24
Meal, feed and oats for stock,	3,005 51
Corn and cracked corn for stock,	359 33
Farm and garden seed,	405 97
Manure and fertilizers,	810 55
Agricultural tools and implements,	491 09
Live stock,	400 00
Horse and ox shoeing,	84 25
Repairing and painting carriages,	172 70
Repairing carts and wagons,	27 93
Teaming, horse hire and baiting,	16 75
Robes, horse blankets, etc.,	8 00
Harnesses,	185 75
Miscellaneous stable expenses,	32 04
Crockery and glassware,	144 94
Miscellaneous kitchen and laundry utensils,	57 44
Tinware,	137 76
Hardware,	660 07
Brooms, brushes, mats and woodenware,	333 05
Lamps, lanterns and wicks,	21 16
Furniture,	163 00
Carpets and carpeting,	153 42
Painters' supplies and labor,	977 10
Plumbers' supplies and labor,	196 91
Blacksmiths' supplies and labor,	261 99
Engineers' supplies,	64 96
Steam and gas pipe and fittings,	139 75
Gasoline and oil,	1,076 38
Coal,	6,831 74
Lumber, including coffin boards,	1,452 71
Mechanical labor and services,	838 35
Freight and express,	1,299 55
Trustees' expenses,	221 20
Superintendent's expenses, mileage tickets, etc.,	164 38
Fares and gratuities, discharged inmates,	1,707 23
Transfer of inmates,	31 81
Consulting physician's services,	416 67
Chapel services,	373 00
Miscellaneous and domestic salaries,	192 67

Taking inventory,	\$100 00
Telephone rents,	455 00
Telegrams and telephones,	84 84
Postage stamps, cards, etc.,	212 95
Office supplies, stationery and printing,	333 55
Newspapers and periodicals,	28 00
Library and singing book,	94 00
Entertainments and fireworks,	65 65
Spectacles,	24 30
Blasting powder, fuse and dynamite,	36 50
Doors, windows and blinds,	141 77
Stove grates, linings and castings,	60 95
Boiler grates and castings,	79 56
Miscellaneous iron and steel and cesspool covers,	166 32
Expenses arresting and returning escaped men,	205 45
Toilet paper,	35 65
Clocks and repairs,	36 90
Electrical supplies,	36 62
Inspecting boilers,	75 00
Plants and shrubs,	31 70
Surveyor's services and tools,	81 75
Starch kettle,	7 00
Photographs of institution,	60 49
Manhole in water tower,	92 55
Window guards,	222 86
Drain pipe,	131 36
Cedar rails,	5 25
Flower pots,	3 75
Rubber matting,	42 56
Rubber coats,	20 40
Miscellaneous rubber goods,	10 79
Upholsterer's supplies and labor,	43 38
Carriages,	337 50
Guard room supplies,	12 30
Repairs of steam pumps,	63 44
Water filter filling,	2 25
Corn fodder,	15 00
Stencil ink,	22 85
Wall paper,	14 00
Steam kettle, urns, heater, etc.,	130 75
Barber's chair,	15 00
Stone steps and flagging,	69 49
Altar for chapel,	46 00
Cow stanchions and iron work,	133 42
Iron stairs and labor,	152 92
Draughtsman's services,	30 00
Moving piano,	12 00
Tinsmith's supplies and labor,	136 80

Grinding corn,	\$28 30
Chandeliers for chapel,	124 00
Repairs to laundry machinery,	36 00
Locks and repairs,	47 36
Roofing,	74 47
Machine saw and bench,	95 00
Ladders,	12 75
Rope,	8 91
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	\$92,950 36

The amount received from sales, labor of inmates, produce sold, etc., is	\$3,430 71
The total expenditure has been	92,950 36

Which amount, divided by the average number of inmates, 947, gives \$98 15 yearly, or an expenditure of \$1.88 weekly; deduct the amount paid into the treasury from the amount expended, and it gives a net cost of \$1.82 weekly.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Of the appropriation made in 1892 for heating, lighting, plumbing and furnishing the new workhouse building there was an unexpended balance of \$2,275.74. The expenditures under this appropriation for the present year are as follows:—

Steam and gas pipe and fittings,	\$292 08
Naphtha lamps, lanterns, etc.,	76 14
Furniture,	100 00
Steam kettles and sinks,	343 35
Masons' labor,	39 00
Stock for bedsteads,	763 21
Blankets,	284 53
Hot water heater shells,	47 50
Blast gates,	24 75
Plumbers' supplies and labor,	304 91
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	\$2,275 74

Of the appropriation made in 1892 for the erection of a dormitory there was an unexpended balance of \$4,847.72. The expenditures under this appropriation for the present year are as follows:—

Masons' labor,	\$762 25
Carpenters' labor,	901 89
Architects' services,	100 00

Painters' supplies and labor,	\$396 49
Brick, lime, cement, etc.,	455 81
Granite steps,	346 00
Lumber, doors, etc.,	571 50
Hardware and nails,	141 73
Castings,	43 45
Locks, keys, etc.,	51 89
Iron pipe and sheet lead,	13 81
Roofing,	762 39
Skylights and ventilators,	110 00
Bolts,	61 74
Freight,	128 77
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	\$4,847 72

Of the appropriation made in 1892 for yard walls, concrete walks, paving and stone crushing plant, there was an unexpended balance of \$5,592.75. The expenditures under this appropriation for the present year are as follows:—

Masons' labor,	\$104 00
Carpenters' labor,	54 00
Rock crusher,	835 19
Jaws and castings for crusher,	84 59
Lumber,	110 00
Paving brick,	148 50
Engine and boiler,	1,487 50
Belting,	23 77
Freight,	75 96
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	\$2,923 51
Balance unexpended,	2,669 24
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	\$5,592 75

Of the appropriation made in 1893 for the erection of an asylum building to contain seventy-five strong rooms, there was an unexpended balance of \$33,512.07. The expenditures under this appropriation for the present year are as follows:—

Masons' labor,	\$7,225 00
Carpenters' labor,	1,575 91
Architects' services,	300 00
Draughtsman's services,	80 00
Foreman of laborers,	305 00
Services of cook,	128 00
Brick, lime, cement, etc.,	8,925 12

Lumber, doors and windows,	\$5,098 01
Iron beams and bars,	394 61
Castings,	272 14
Hardware and nails,	294 70
Granite underpinning, sills and caps,	1,442 16
Painters' supplies and labor,	464 67
Surveyors' services,	17 50
Window guards,	1,927 55
Iron stairs,	149 18
Sheet iron, lead and tin,	110 57
Iron and tin worker,	50 00
Roofing,	947 16
Cell locks,	539 50
Drain pipe,	311 66
Old canvas for covering,	64 82
Heater,	16 00
Freight,	646 42
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	\$31,285 68
Balance unexpended,	2,226 39
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	\$33,512 07

Under chapter 48, Resolves of 1893, the sum of \$3,000 was appropriated for asylum walls. The expenditures under the appropriation are as follows : —

Masons' labor,	\$690 75
Foreman of laborers,	75 00
Brick, lime, cement, etc.,	776 37
Lumber,	81 00
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	\$1,623 12
Balance unexpended,	1,376 88
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	\$3,000 00

Under chapter 66, Resolves of 1894, the sum of \$15,000 was appropriated for an addition to the workhouse department. The expenditures under this appropriation are as follows : —

Masons' labor,	\$2,051 25
Carpenters' labor,	347 62
Foreman of laborers,	143 50
Blacksmith's labor,	45 00
Cook's services,	48 00
Brick, lime, cement, etc.,	2,739 26
Lumber and windows,	1,152 91

Granite underpinning, sills and caps,	\$332 20
Iron beams and bars,	135 86
Window guards,	396 05
Hinge hooks,	23 80
Iron stairs,	97 33
Roofing,	173 41
Paints, oils, etc.,	79 65
Steam pipe and fittings,	311 94
Hardware and nails,	48 66
Freight,	161 53
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	\$8,287 97
Balance unexpended,	6,712 03
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	\$15,000 00

Under the same resolve the sum of \$10,000 was appropriated for consolidating the heating stations into one central boiler-house. The expenditures under this appropriation are as follows :—

Masons' labor,	\$1,767 00
Carpenters' labor,	149 00
Foreman of laborers,	268 75
Blacksmith's labor,	54 00
Services of cook,	16 00
Painters' labor,	40 00
Brick, lime, cement, etc.,	2,152 26
Granite underpinning, sills and caps,	280 75
Lumber and windows,	913 55
Iron beams, posts, bars and castings,	323 07
Chimney top,	68 75
Roofing,	220 15
Hardware and nails,	55 61
Use of derrick,	104 50
Freight,	151 53
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	\$6,564 92
Balance unexpended,	3,435 08
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	\$10,000 00

Under the same resolve the sum of \$8,400 was appropriated for heating, lighting, furnishing and plumbing the new insane wing. The expenditures under this appropriation are as follows :—

Steam and gas pipe and labor,	\$975 94
Iron and tin worker,	113 33
Plumbers' supplies,	181 09
Sheet tin and galvanized iron,	100 25
Masons' labor,	503 75
Brick, lime, cement, etc.,	763 30
Steam fitting plans,	50 00
Boiler fronts,	200 00
Steam pump,	180 00
Lumber,	123 24
Freight,	82 45
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	\$3,273 35
Balance unexpended,	5,126 65
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	\$8,400 00

Under the same resolve the sum of \$4,900 was appropriated for the purchase and improvement of lands. The expenditures under this appropriation are as follows : —

Expended for land,	\$940 00
Balance unexpended,	3,960 00
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	\$4,900 00

An inventory and appraisal of the real and personal estate, Oct. 1, 1894, was made by David G. Pratt and George E. Doane of Middleborough. The appraisal was as follows : —

Live stock,	\$6,449 00
Products of farm,	10,718 25
Carriages and agricultural implements,	8,256 00
Machinery and mechanical fixtures,	36,875 00
Beds and bedding, inmates' department,	15,815 70
Other furniture, inmates' department,	11,062 28
Personal property of State in superintendent's department,	7,386 63
Ready-made clothing,	12,505 66
Dry goods,	3,610 20
Provisions and groceries,	5,197 05
Drugs and medicines,	266 06
Fuel,	4,053 00
Library,	392 50

LAND.

245 acres cultivated,	}	\$30,215 00
196 acres pasture,		
37 acres woodland,		
11 acres bottom land,		
5 acres water works,		

BUILDINGS.

Main buildings,	\$201,000 00
New prison building,	20,000 00
Asylum buildings,	96,000 00
Chapel and dormitory buildings,	18,000 00
East barn,	6,000 00
Stock barn,	6,000 00
Stable,	5,500 00
Piggery,	2,500 00
Ice houses,	1,500 00
Hen houses,	1,000 00
Tool house,	1,000 00
Farmer's house,	3,000 00
Watchmen's house,	3,000 00
River pumping station,	2,500 00
Lower pump house,	500 00
Blacksmith's shop,	1,500 00
Carpenter's shop and sheds,	1,000 00
Pest house,	300 00
Hathaway house,	500 00
High board fences,	1,200 00
Tomb,	1,000 00
Morgue,	300 00
Cart sheds and onion loft,	1,000 00

LIST OF LIVE STOCK.

4 pair work horses.	2 bulls.
2 driving horses.	40 hogs.
1 express horse.	33 breeding sows.
6 yoke oxen.	21 shoats.
1 yoke steers (twins).	110 pigs.
1 pair beef oxen.	3 boars.
43 cows.	215 hens.
4 beef cows.	211 chickens.
6 heifers.	22 ducks.
7 calves.	

PRODUCTS OF FARM ON HAND.

168 tons English hay.	12½ tons pumpkins.
28 tons oats, hayed.	4½ tons squash.
3,836 bushels potatoes.	8,176 heads cabbage.
310 bushels onions.	1,900 bunches celery.
1,006 bushels carrots.	10 bushels pop-corn.
136 bushels parsnips.	321 barrels apples.
175 bushels turnips.	677 bushels cider apples.
125 bushels ruta-bagas.	50 cords wood.
863 bushels table beets.	125 cords manure.
1,654 bushels mangels.	230 tons ice.
1,050 bushels yellow globe beets.	

PRODUCTS OF FARM AND GARDEN CONSUMED ON OFFICERS' AND
INMATES' TABLES.

3,496 bushels potatoes.	1,188 dozen cucumbers.
356 bushels onions.	64,314 pounds cabbage.
290 bushels turnips.	10,660 heads lettuce.
86 bushels carrots.	1,039 heads celery.
108 bushels string beans.	2,905 dozen corn.
99 bushels shell beans.	1,795 pounds squash.
142 bushels parsnips.	952 pounds pumpkins.
472 bushels dandelions.	86 pounds horse radish.
515 bushels beets.	946 pounds rhubarb.
213 bushels pease.	748 bunches radishes.
212 bushels tomatoes.	783 pounds asparagus.
168 bushels apples.	5 bushels peppers.
16 bushels pears.	3 bushels quinces.
110 bushels Swiss chard greens.	1,275 muskmelons.
274 bushels beet greens.	909 watermelons.
50 bushels cabbage greens.	2,453 boxes strawberries.
50 bushels turnip greens.	637 boxes currants.
620 bunches onions.	140 boxes raspberries.
256 bunches beets.	72 boxes gooseberries.
4 bushels spinach.	40 boxes blackberries.
39 bushels pickling cucumbers.	

The beef, pork, etc., slaughtered from the stock of the farm,
amount to : —

2,486 pounds beef.	391 pounds fowl.
18,368 pounds pork.	118 pounds duck.
447 pounds chicken.	

DAIRY PRODUCTS, ETC.

29,656 gallons milk.	1,556 dozen eggs.
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The above amounts show the consumption on the tables from
the farm account, and represent a credit of \$12,681.69 allowed
the farm.

CLOTHING, ETC., MADE AND REPAIRED IN THE SHOP.

New Goods Made.

931 coats.	1,517 pillow slips.
1,195 pairs pants.	440 bed ticks.
1,030 vests.	813 pillow ticks.
1,708 shirts.	1,179 bath towels.
916 undershirts.	246 roller towels.
1,070 pairs drawers.	240 aprons.
1,470 sheets.	536 jumpers.

463 pairs overalls.
584 caps.
17 laceup suits.
31 shrouds.
575 pairs suspenders.
100 bibs.

181 clothes bags.
621 pairs brogans.
325 pairs button shoes.
252 pairs slippers.
80 pairs plough shoes.
3 pairs boots.

Clothing, etc., repaired.

980 coats.
2,863 pairs pants.
3,144 shirts.
1,480 undershirts.
1,990 pairs drawers.
1,480 undershirts.
1,990 pairs drawers.
265 pairs overalls.

398 jumpers.
684 bed ticks.
242 vests.
4,902 pairs stockings.
1,179 pairs mittens.
2,857 pairs brogans and shoes.
54 pairs boots.

LIST OF PERSONS

Employed as Officers and Employees.

NAME.	Nature of Service.	Time.	Amount.
H. M. Blackstone, . .	Superintendent, . .	1 year, . .	\$2,500 00
Thomas J. Cannon, . .	Assistant superintendent,	1 year, . .	1,000 00
Charles A. Blake, . .	Resident physician, .	1 year, . .	1,200 00
Rodney A. Moore, . .	Engineer,	1 year, . .	720 00
Henry J. Strann, . .	Clerk,	1 year, . .	900 00
Benj. F. Robinson, . .	Overseer chair shop, .	1 year, . .	800 00
Benj. A. Atkins, . .	Overseer almshouse dept.,	1 year, . .	600 00
Zeno D. Baker, . .	Overseer,	1 year, . .	480 00
Fred. A. Hewey, . .	Overseer,	7 months, . .	315 00
Peter Bazinet, . .	Baker,	1 year, . .	630 00
John W. Tibbetts, . .	Cook,	1 year, . .	459 99
George E. Bacon, . .	Farmer,	1 year, . .	900 00
Henry S. Keith, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	1 year, . .	540 00
Walter E. Temple, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	1 year, . .	540 00
Andrew D. Grant, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	1 year, . .	480 00
Gardner R. Files, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	1 year, . .	420 00
George R. Beldin, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	5 months, . .	150 00
Ernest E. Bacon, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	8 mos., 23 days,	331 83
William C. Gifford, . .	Assistant farmer, . .	2 mos., 6 days,	77 00
Merrick H. Osgood, . .	Assistant engineer, . .	1 year, . .	420 00

LIST OF PERSONS, ETC. — Concluded.

NAME.	Nature of Service.	Time.	Amount.
William H. Monk, . . .	Watchman, . . .	1 year, . . .	\$420 00
James F. Blair, . . .	Assistant physician, . .	1 year, . . .	340 00
Lawrence L. Edwards, . .	Nurse, . . .	11 months, . .	330 00
Annie A. Edwards, . . .	Nurse, . . .	11 months, . .	220 00
William K. Knox, . . .	Nurse, . . .	2 mos., 19 days,	52 66
Melvin Hatch, . . .	Supervisor of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	500 00
Alfred H. Crockett, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	11 mos., 15 days,	460 00
Nathaniel B. Doe, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	450 00
Benj. C. Knowlton, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	390 00
Willis E. Bowler, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	8 mos., 24 days,	286 00
Benj. F. Tibbetts, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	390 00
Jeremiah B. Allen, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	390 00
George W. Bean, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	360 00
James Furbush, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	7 mos., 15 days,	225 00
Edward L. Benner, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	375 00
Joseph C. Slater, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	360 00
Wilson G. Rowell, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	6 mos., 9 days,	189 00
Frank F. Rice, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	375 00
Guilford L. Stark, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	360 00
Eugene J. Peva, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	6 months, . . .	180 00
Edward W. Cramer, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	357 50
James N. Slater, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	357 50
Edwin S. Kingsley, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	352 50
Harry B. Leeman, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 year, . . .	347 50
A. B. McDonald, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	5 mos., 13 days,	135 83
Raymond A. Taylor, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	4 mos., 22 days,	130 17
Samuel H. Leavitt, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	4 mos., 18 days,	126 50
Daniel H. Clark, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	4 mos., 10 days,	119 16
Dana Tibbetts, . . .	Attendant of insane, . .	1 mo., 3 days,	30 25
S. F. Blackstone, . . .	Housekeeper, . . .	1 year, . . .	300 00
Belle Benner, . . .	Laundress, . . .	1 year, . . .	250 00
George F. Coxon, . . .	Domestic, . . .	5 months, . . .	75 00
Belle Whiting, . . .	Cook, . . .	1 year, . . .	240 00

HOSPITAL REPORT.

*To the Honorable Board of Trustees of the State Farm at Bridgewater,
Mass.*

The following report of the hospital and asylum departments is respectfully submitted : —

Number in hospital Oct. 1, 1893,	31	Deaths,	57
Admitted during the year,	509	Discharged,	441
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Daily average, 38.			<hr style="width: 50px; margin: 0 auto;"/> 540

The percentage of deaths to admissions is .11 per cent., and in proportion to the average population is .06 per cent., considerably less than for some years. Of the 57 deaths reported, 33 were from phthisis, 66 cases of which were treated in the hospital. There were 31 cases of pneumonia, with a mortality of 10, some of which were complicated with other diseases.

There has been no change in the asylum department. An average of 78 patients has been employed in the chair shop, and these have caned 34,151 chair seats and 19,215 rocker backs. The whole average number of patients employed has been 144.

The tables appended give general information in regard to the hospital and asylum. The tables concerning the asylum are for the year and for the whole time since the opening of the department, and are also for the total number of persons admitted.

In closing, allow me to express my thanks to all with whom I have been officially connected.

Very respectfully yours,

CHAS. A. BLAKE, M.D.,

Resident Physician.

BRIDGEWATER, MASS., Sept. 30, 1894.

TABLE NO. 1.

*Showing the Number and Variety of Diseases treated in the Hospital from
Oct. 1, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1894.*

Abcesses,	14	Gonorrhœa,	2
Alcoholism,	20	Glossitis,	1
Apoplexy,	4	Herpes facialis,	1
Asthma,	6	Herpes zoster,	4
Angina pectoris,	1	Hydrocele,	1
Ascites,	1	Hæmorrhoids,	2
Bronchitis,	28	Hæmaturia,	1
Bunion,	2	Hernia,	1
Bubo,	8	Intermittent fever,	1
Chorea,	2	Indigestion,	7
Constipation,	4	Injuries, simple,	5
Cystitis,	2	Irregular heart,	1
Catarrh gall duct,	1	Influenza,	45
Cholera morbus,	2	Insanity,	4
Colic,	6	Jaundice,	1
Carbuncle,	1	Malaria,	4
Cellulitis, arm,	1	Measles,	1
Congestion, pulmonary,	1	Myositis,	1
Congelation,	3	Mercurialism,	1
Coxarius morbus,	1	Necrosis, nasal bones,	1
Contusion,	3	Neuralgia,	2
Chancre,	1	Nausea,	1
Gastric catarrh,	1	Ozena,	1
Circumcision,	1	Orchitis,	5
Debility,	14	Observation,	23
Diarrhœa,	19	Otitis media,	2
Dysentery,	4	Phthisis,	66
Diabetes, insipidus,	2	Palpitation,	2
Dermatitis,	3	Prostatitis,	2
Dementia,	1	Pleurisy,	6
Erythema,	1	Paralysis,	6
Eczema,	4	Pustules,	2
Epilepsy,	3	Pneumonia,	31
Excoriation,	2	Pharyngitis,	2
Erysipelas,	7	Periostitis,	1
Earache,	1	Psoriasis,	1
Epistaxis,	2	Pyrosis,	1
Emaciation,	1	Pericarditis,	1
Febricula,	28	Phimosis,	1
Fistula in ano,	6	Rheumatism,	16
Fractures,	4	Syphilis,	5
Furuncle,	1	Sciatica,	2
Gastritis,	1	Sprains,	3
Glandular enlargement,	1	Syphilis, tertiary,	1
Gangrene, senile,	1	Seborrhœa,	1

TABLE NO. 1 — Concluded.

Stricture urethra,	2	Ulcers, chronic,	10
Scrofula,	1	Ulcers, corneal,	5
Synovitis,	1	Valvular disease of heart,	19
Sup. mastoid cells,	1	Wounds, incised,	3
Typhoid, convol. form,	1	Wounds, suppurating,	3
Traumatism,	4	Urticaria,	2
Tonsillitis,	9	Rhus poisoning,	2

TABLE NO. 2.

Showing the Number of Deaths and Diseases from Oct. 1, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1894.

Apoplexy,	4	Pneumonia,	10
Dysentery,	1	Suicide,	1
Debility,	5	Valvular disease,	1
Epilepsy,	1		
Hæmorrhage, internal,	1	Total,	*57
Phthisis,	33		

TABLE NO. 3.

General Statistics of the Year.

Patients in asylum Oct. 1, 1893,	222
Patients admitted within the year,	55
Whole number of cases within the year,	277
Discharged within the year,	18
Eloped within the year,	2
Died within the year,	11
Patients remaining Sept. 30, 1894,	248
Number of different persons within the year,	277
Number of different persons admitted within the year,	55
Daily average of patients,	240
Daily average of patients employed,	144
Whole number of persons received since Sept. 14, 1886,	445

TABLE NO. 4.

Showing the Number of Insane Patients received from Each Hospital.

Worcester Insane Asylum,	24	Westborough Lunatic Hospital; †30
Worcester Lunatic Hospital,	†179	State Farm, 58
Taunton Lunatic Hospital,	†94	
Danvers Lunatic Hospital,	41	448
Northampton Lunatic Hospital,	22	

* Eight prisoners, 11 insane, 38 paupers.

† One readmission each.

TABLE NO. 5.

Showing the Movements of 445 Insane Patients from Sept. 14, 1886, to Sept. 30, 1894.

Improved and discharged,	12
Transferred by order of Board of Lunacy and Charity,	70
Transferred to other asylums,	4
Readmitted,	5
Eloped,	15
Died,	97
Remaining Sept. 30, 1894,	248

Number of prison and court cases remaining Oct. 1, 1894, 155; from State Prison, 40; houses of correction, 66; criminal court cases, 37; transfers from State Farm, 8; Massachusetts Reformatory, 4.

TABLE NO. 6.

Showing Nativity of 445 Insane Patients.

Azores,	3	New Hampshire,	3
Austria,	1	New York,	12
China,	1	New Jersey,	2
Canada,	8	New Brunswick,	2
Cuba,	1	Nova Scotia,	7
Denmark,	6	Ohio,	1
England,	20	Poland,	2
Finland,	2	Pennsylvania,	4
France,	1	Prince Edward Island,	3
Germany,	10	Prussia,	1
Georgia,	3	Rhode Island,	4
Ireland,	113	Sweden,	5
Italy,	5	Scotland,	6
Illinois,	2	Spain,	1
Maine,	6	Vermont,	4
Massachusetts,	137	Virginia,	5
Minnesota,	1	Washington, D. C.,	1
Macedonia,	1	Unknown,	66

TABLE NO. 7.

Civil Condition of 445 Insane Patients.

Married,	131
Single,	266
Unknown,	48

TABLE NO. 8.

Showing the Occupation of 445 Insane Patients.

Actor,	1	Blacksmiths,	8
Auctioneer,	1	Barbers,	3
Brickmaker,	1	Butcher,	1

TABLE NO. 8 — Concluded.

Bootmakers,	5	Mill operatives,	6
Bartenders,	2	Mill owner,	1
Bakers,	3	Morocco dresser,	1
Book agent,	1	Mason,	1
Brush maker,	1	Machinists,	10
Carpenters,	9	Marble workers,	2
Cigar maker,	1	Match maker,	1
Curriers,	3	Mechanic,	1
Clergyman,	1	Moulder,	1
Coopers,	2	Night watchman,	1
Clerks,	5	Nail maker,	1
Carriage maker,	1	Oil finisher,	1
Car porter,	1	Plumbers,	3
Confectioners,	2	Paver,	1
Cabinet maker,	1	Painters, carriage,	2
Cab driver,	1	Piano finishers,	2
Cook,	1	Peddlers,	4
Dyers,	2	Painters,	7
Engineers,	2	Porter, car,	1
Engraver,	1	Railroad employees,	2
Farmers,	20	Spring maker,	1
Firemen,	2	Sailors,	7
Fishermen,	3	Shovel maker,	1
Fruit dealer,	1	Shoemakers,	19
Glass blower,	1	Servant,	1
Glazier,	1	Scrivener,	1
Gilder,	1	Salesman,	1
Groom,	1	Spinners,	6
Hostlers,	6	Stone masons,	3
Hatter,	1	Stone cutters,	5
Harness maker,	1	Stone dressers,	2
Horse dealer,	1	Saloon keeper,	1
Jeweller,	1	Tailors,	4
Junk dealer,	1	Teamsters,	4
Laundryman,	1	Varnisher,	1
Laborers,	95	Wood turner,	1
Lather,	1	Waiter,	1
Longshoremen,	2	Weavers,	6
Lodging-house keeper,	1	Wool carder,	1
Music teacher,	1	Unknown,	124

TABLE NO. 9.

Classification of 445 Insane Patients.

Dementia,	177	Melancholia,	20
Dipsomania,	9	Moral insanity,	1
Epilepsy,	19	Pyromania,	1
Feeble-minded,	12	Toxic insanity (alcohol),	4
General paralysis,	13	Unclassed,	1
Mania,	188		

TABLE NO. 10.

Relation to Hospitals of Persons admitted 1893-94.

Never before in any hospital for insane,	8
Former inmates of other hospitals,	47

TABLE NO. 11.

Annual Admissions since the Opening of the Hospital, Discharges and Deaths within the Official Year, and the number of Each Year's Admissions remaining Sept. 30, 1894.

YEARS ENDING SEPT. 30—	Admitted.	DISCHARGED AND DIED IN 1893-94.		Remaining of Each Year's Admissions Sept. 30, 1894.
		Discharged.	Died.	
1886,	50	—	—	16
1887,	105	2	1	64
1888,	18	—	—	10
1889,	16	—	—	6
1890,	18	—	—	8
1891,	98	—	4	56
1892,	59	5	3	25
1893,	27	3	1	18
1894,	55	8	2	45
Totals,	446	18	11	248

TABLE NO. 12.

Monthly Admissions and Discharges.

MONTHS.	Admissions.	Discharges.	Deaths.
1893.			
October,	16	1	1
November,	9	—	—
December,	1	—	2
1894.			
January,	8	5	2
February,	—	1	—
March,	—	1	2
April,	—	2	—
May,	—	4	—
June,	—	2	—
July,	21	1	3
August,	—	1	—
September,	—	—	1
Total of cases,	55	18	11
Total of persons,	55	18	11

TABLE NO. 13.

Showing Place of Commitment of 287 Insane Criminals.

State prison,	61	State Farm,	42
Reformatory at Concord,	15	Deer Island, Boston,	5
Houses of correction and jails,	108	Not sentenced or unknown,	56

TABLE NO. 14.

Showing Crimes committed.

Assault,	51	Exposure,	3
Arson,	4	Keeping disorderly house,	2
Breaking and entering,	42	Larceny,	19
Burning barns,	2	Libel,	1
Burglary,	2	Murder and manslaughter,	30
Bigamy,	1	Non-support of family,	2
Bestiality,	1	Rape,	7
Common drunkard,	25	Robbery,	5
Conspiracy,	1	Sodomy,	1
Counterfeiting,	1	Stealing,	2
Desecrating cemetery,	1	Stoning railroad train,	1
Disturbing peace,	3	Vagrancy,	57
Disorderly,	1	Unknown,	22

TABLE NO. 15.

Showing Number of Insane Patients treated in Hospital from Oct. 1, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1894.

Apoplexy,	2	Injury to wrist,	1
Abcesses,	4	Melancholia,	1
Bronchitis,	1	Observation,	1
Cholera morbus,	1	Orchitis,	1
Colic, hepatic,	1	Phthisis,	12
Diabetes,	2	Pneumonia,	1
Debility,	1	Paralysis,	1
Dysentery,	1	Pleurisy,	1
Diarrhœa,	1	Scrofula,	1
Epilepsy,	1	Ulcer, corneal,	1
Febricula,	2	Valvular disease of heart,	1
Fracture,	1	Wounds, incised,	1
Herpes zoster,	2		
Hernia,	1	Total,	44

TABLE NO. 16.

Showing the Number of Deaths in the Asylum Department from Oct. 1, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1894.

Apoplexy,	.	.	.	.	2	Suicide,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Debility,	.	.	.	.	1							
Phthisis,	.	.	.	.	6	Total,	.	.	.	.	.	11
Pneumonia,	.	.	.	.	1							